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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

# SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Further to the Information Disclosure Statement filed October 18, 2006, in compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

The listed documents were cited in an Office Action in a corresponding Russian application. A copy of the Office Action, as well as an English translation thereof, is included for the Examiner's convenience. US '361 corresponds to RU '146.

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It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the

Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such

information has been considered

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C.

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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS										
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	6,055,361	04/2000		Fujita et al.						
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